

Snyder

Localism Success Stories

**Snyder, TX
Broadcasters**

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Letters to the editor

Proud of Snyder

Dear Editor:

I am so proud to live in Scurry County and see what can be done when we all work together. The American Cancer Society Relay for Life was held April 25-26, and it was an awesome success.

We raised money for cancer research and education, but we did so much more than that. We came together as a community to show a united front against cancer. We had 38 teams in the relay, and every team and every team member was great.

I want to thank the team captains who held the teams together and came up with all the great fund-raising ideas and campsites. For those of you who didn't get to attend our event, you missed some great entertainment. Thanks to those entertainers.

Camping out with the whole county may not sound like a fun way to spend a Friday night, but everyone there had a blast and I thank the homes close to the stadium for letting us light up your neighborhood with light and sound. You are what make our community so great.

Thanks to all of our corporate sponsors who gave more than ever have before, and to all the citizens who bought chances to win items in drawings, bought bake sale and craft items and gave a few dollars to their neighbor when they knocked on the door. Without you, our relay would mean nothing. We also had many businesses and individuals donate items to our drawings and our auctions, and we appreciate that they gave, often more than once, and always with a smile.

The committee of volunteers that worked on this relay should

be very proud. They worked endlessly, often wearing more than one hat, and it paid off for all. Scurry County is now more aware of what the ACS has to offer, and what can be done to prevent cancer, and to detect it early.

Our goal was to educate, and I feel that we did it, and made it fun. Thanks to all the volunteers, some were highly visible, others were in the background, but each one of you contributed to make this our best year ever.

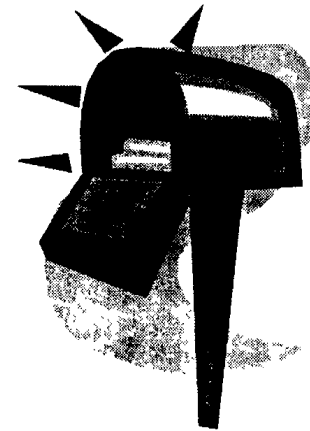
The Snyder Daily News and KSNY were awesome in helping us to keep everyone informed. We had a four-hour live remote donated by KSNY at Tiger Health and Fitness, and many volunteers got to tell their stories and let people know why they participate in the relay. The Snyder Daily News was great to keep us in the spotlight each weekend with articles and pictures. Shirley Gorman was so gracious when we had to change details from time to time.

This is rather like an Oscar

speech, and I'm afraid of forgetting someone. If you helped us in any way with Relay for Life, thank you. Most of you don't want the publicity, you help us because you have the same goal as we do, to put an end to cancer, but we want you to know we appreciate you all.

Get ready because we're already planning for 2004.

Sincerely,
Terrisu Mann
Chairperson



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Snyder Police Department, Snyder Fire Department,
Snyder Volunteer Fire Department, Snyder EMS
Scurry County, City of Snyder, Richard Bross**

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A NEW RECORD AMOUNT
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We couldn't have began to get there without you...

Here are some special thanks and if we leave out you name

Know that your help and generosity will be rewarded as we continue to find
A CURE AND END CANCER FOREVER!

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would like to thank all the people and
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Also thanks to Everyone who let us wash your car or just put money in our donation bucket!

The Student Government Association at Western Texas College would like to thank the following businesses for sponsoring the 2nd Annual WTC SG Golf Tournament and would also like to thank the individuals who participated in the tournament.

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DISCOVERY SCHOOL would like to say a special **"THANKS"** to the following persons for making our Enchilada Dinner a big success and helping us get the laminator for our school:

Spanish Inn
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Southern Electric
Lone Star Cleaners
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Ray Gutierrez
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Gina Jones
Radio Shack
Wadleigh Studio
Our Staff
Beall's
Taco Bell
Hackfeld's
Red Barn
JoAnn Littlepage
Rona Sikes
KSNY

We would also like to say **THANK YOU** to Sam Robertson for being our auctioneer and to the people of First United Methodist Church for coming and supporting us.

Dream coming true for

Since boyhood, Jonathan Barrow has wanted to be a disc jockey. Now that he has graduated from Snyder High School, he is fulfilling his dream.

For one hour each Friday,

western radio station.

Working one hour a week may not seem like a lot to most people, but Jonathan is unique because he has cerebral palsy. Yet, neither he nor his family

Suzanne Barrow, are among his biggest supporters. They love that their son is getting to do something he has always wanted to do.

A music buff, Jonathan helps pick out which songs to play. He also takes song dedication requests and he loves to discuss sports with Cody.

Before Christmas, he also participated in live remotes that advertised the local drive to collect toys for needy children.

Jonathan is very proud of his job. There is nothing he would rather be doing.

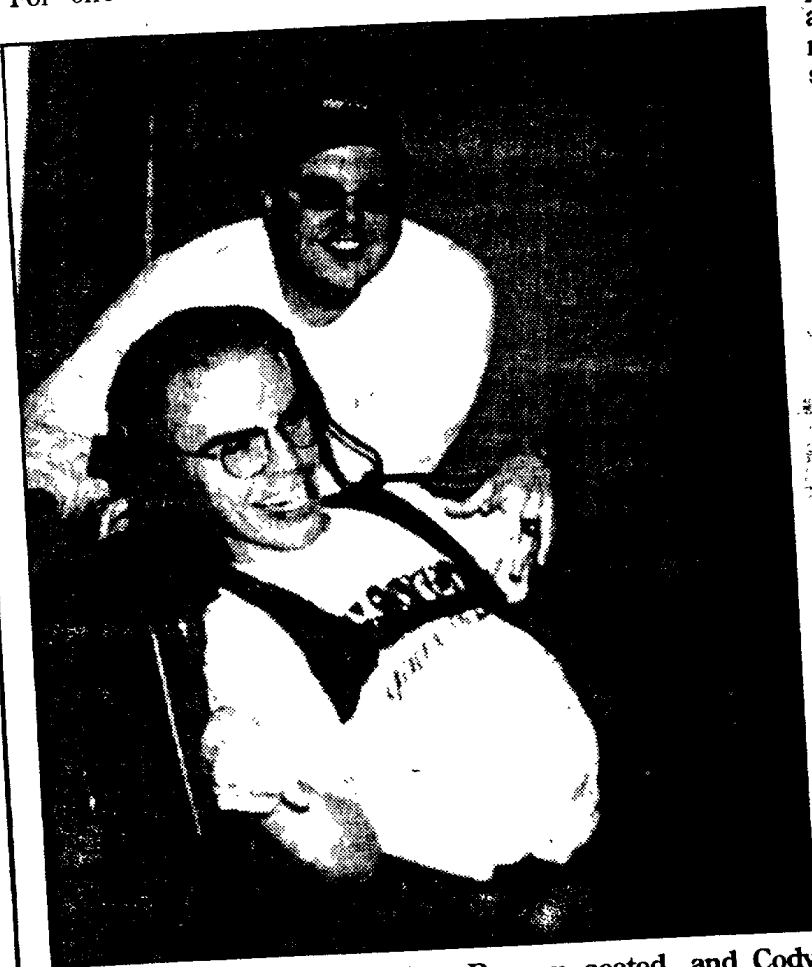
When Jonathan goes to the radio station on Fridays, he is accompanied by his full time nurse, Mary Helen Cervantez. He is enrolled in the Medically Dependent Children's Program, which pays for his nursing care.

The job at KSNY evolved gradually. Jonathan had always talked to Cody at the station so one day Suzanne asked him (Cody) if Jonathan could become a DJ. She said Cody set up a meeting with Dink Foree, radio station owner, who approved her request.

Jonathan also has other activities that he enjoys. SPARTAN Transportation sometimes drives him to the Senior Citizens Center where he likes to play cards and visit with his best buddy, James Patrick. On Wednesdays, Jonathan likes to shop at Wal-Mart, where he is well known, his mother said.

He also likes to watch the family's big screen TV, and often has it on Channel 2, which plays music from KSNY. Jonathan is looking forward to the Feb. 3 Super Bowl because he always invites friends over for a Super Bowl Party.

Jonathan loves sports and his room is filled with memorabilia of his favorite football team, the Green Bay Packers. He knows the names of coaches and quarterbacks for several teams. For Christmas, one of his gifts was a book about all the pro football



DISC JOCKEYS — Jonathan Barrow, seated, and Cody Christopher, like to discuss sports on KSNY.

Jonathan shares disc jockey duties with Cody Christopher at KSNY, the local country and

and friends have ever let that stand in his way.

Barrow's parents, Johnny and

**Scurry
County
Folks**

By Shirley A. Gorman

**THE
SNYDER
DAILY
NEWS**

Dear H.S.U.Y.,

Thank you for
sponsoring our school.
We are in 5th grade at
Northeast Elementary.
We are also thanking
you for letting us come
to see the radio station.

It was cool! All of you
were so, so nice. You
took the time to show
us everything, and also
you were very enjoyable
to be around.

Sincerely,
Stormy Clark +



OFFICE OF THE
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THE CITY OF SNYDER, TEXAS

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1911 27TH STREET - 79549

Dink Foree
KSNY Radio
P.O. Box 1008
Snyder, Tx. 79550

2/14/01

Dear Dink,

As Emergency Management Coordinator for Scurry County, I would like to work very closely with KSNY Radio this year in early notification of residents regarding severe weather. We have met recently with the NWS in Midland, and also with local law enforcement. The Dept of Emergency Management (lead agency is the Snyder Fire Dept) will be making some improvements this year to the weather spotting, and notification system. I would like KSNY radio to be "in the loop" to the extent you deem appropriate, but particularly when severe weather is confirmed and threatening.

When we had the flood, you allowed us to broadcast directly. If you still have that 440 mhz frequency, I would be willing to work with you and your people in deeming what is appropriate, and when possible, given the right circumstances, allow myself to relay that information directly to you, and if you feel appropriate, to either broadcast it live from me, or have your announcers relay it promptly. I do have cell phone access, and can use it, but lately it is not very dependable!

The FD, Emergency Operations Center (EOC) will be activated and staffed any time severe weather is in our area. Our trained spotters, including law enforcement will be out, and all communications will be coordinated through the EOC. We feel that it is in the best interest of our citizens to receive prompt, accurate information. We have direct radio communications with the NWS in Midland, and can talk directly to their on site forecasters and radar personnel.

I realize this letter is getting lengthy, but in a nut shell, I would like to see all of us work in a cooperative effort to improve our weather alerting system, and information tree. "Local" TV stations don't cover us that well, and we are somewhat on our own, thus the seriousness of this topic. We will be meeting and reorganizing our spotting teams, and conduct our EOC training session on 2/27/01. After that meeting, I will contact you. Meanwhile, could you meet with your people, and see to what extent, if any, we can pursue this endeavor.

Thank You:

Sincerely,

Perry Westmoreland, Fire Chief

Gateway Family Services, Inc.

(formerly Noah Project - West)

**Family Violence and
Sexual Assault Crisis Center**


January 3, 2001

KSNY
c/o Dink Force
1806 KSNY Dr.
Snyder, Tx. 79549

Dear Dink,

On behalf of Gateway Family Services, Inc., I want to thank you for your recent donation. We appreciate your support as we continue to work to end the cycle of family violence and sexual assault in this area of West Texas.

Sincerely,



Dee Wilson
Executive Director



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Ron Shaw

Ron Shaw
2703 Avenue V
Snyder, TX
79549-3231

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E-mail: ronshaw@bigcountry.net

Facsimile

To: Dink Foree
@Fax: 573 7445
From: Ron Shaw
Date: Tuesday, July 04, 2000 @ 9:51 PM
Re: Microphones
Pages: 2, including this

Thanks again to you and Cody for your help. Since the installation by Tarpley of the amplifier I know of no problems with the Northside broadcast. Without your expertise and assistance I do not think this could have been accomplished.

During a previous conversation you mentioned that you could have saved the church money on the purchase of the equipment. I'm thinking of adding some Peavey PVM-22, Diamond Series, Cartoid microphones to our list of equipment. We have one and I am very pleased with it. These would be used by vocalist for special music. What would be our price if we purchased them from you? Please leave me a message on my answering machine and I'll get back with you?



— Snyder Chamber of Commerce —

2302 Avenue R -- P O. Box 840
Telephone 915/573-3558 -- Fax 915/573-9721

Hi Dink:

You just can't imagine how much we needed and appreciate all your help with our Western Swing Festival this year. Thank you for all your labor, your concern and your support.

Thank you for all your "media" support! It really helped getting our home town folks out.

Thank you so much,

Donna & the Chamber Staff
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Shadowing program...

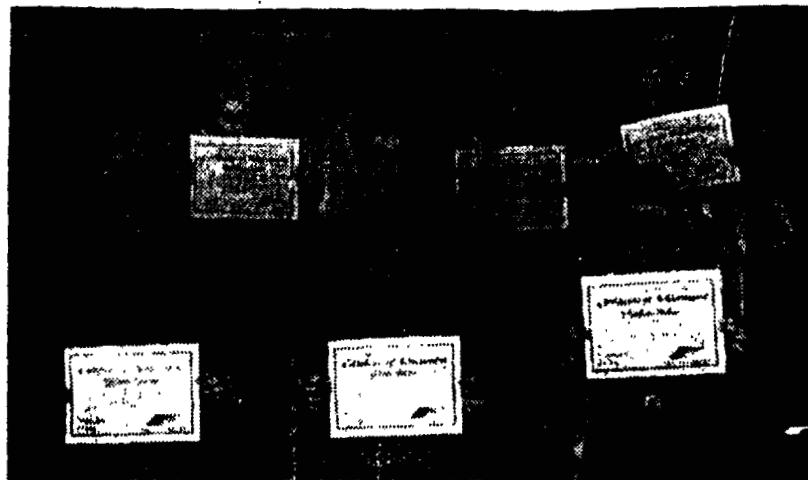
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through hands-on experiences.

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Others were KSNY radio station, American State Bank, TU Electric and Snyder Daily News.



STEPS PROGRAM — Several Snyder Junior High Students just completed their first internships in the STEPS program. Shown with their certificates of achievement are back row Whitney Jones, Jayson Kincaid and Justin Stokes. Pictured front row are Tiffany Gomez, Glenn Burns and Matthew Stokes. (Contributed Photo)



Snyder Junior High School

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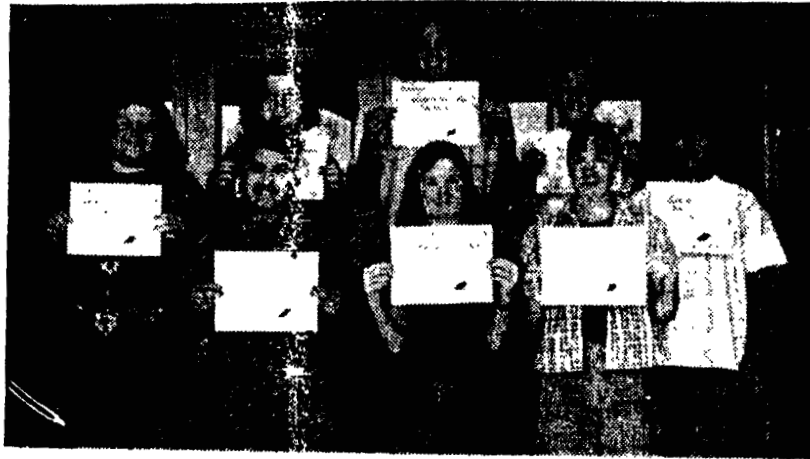
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SHADOWING — Snyder Junior High Students participating in the STEPS program include back row Tammi Walker, Amy Reynolds, Trey Roland, Austin Rinehart and Erika Estrada. Pictured on front row are Vanessa Lara, Kara Brumley and Lynn Fogleman. (Contributed Photo)

*Thanks to you
the STEPS program
was a great success!
We appreciate your
support + participation!*
Kellye Garner
Dupe Duggan



Snyder Junior High School

A. Snyder
 Thanks for "adopting"
 We appreciate
 your support!
 Kelly Starn
 The Hogyard



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High School

SISD adds adopters to program

Community involvement is the reason why Snyder Independent School District organized the Adopt-A-School program which is coordinated by Mary Ann Juarez, home/community liaison.

The newest adopters and their schools include Stanfield Elementary, Scifres Tires; East Elementary, Calvary Baptist Church; and SISD, United Supermarket and TCA Cable TV of Snyder.

Stanfield's other adopters include Lawrence IGA, McCormick Marketing and Pizza Inn.

Central Elementary's adopters are First Baptist Church, Rip Griffin's Food Court, West Texas State Bank and Altura Energy, LTD.

Other East Elementary adopters are Lawrence IGA and Scurry County Boys/Girls Club.

Northeast Elementary adopters are Wagon Wheel, Hackfeld's, Snyder National Bank and First Presbyterian Church.

West Elementary adopters include Colonial Hill Baptist Church, Landes Furniture, Amoco and Spanish Inn.

Snyder Junior High School's adopters are Patterson Drilling, American State Bank, KSNV, Big Country GM Autoland, Snyder Police Department, Volunteer Fire Department and Cinema I&H.

Snyder High School adopters are Sun Robertson Insurance, The Shack, Texas National Guard, Y-Z Industries, Tiger Mart, Debra's Flowers and Gifts and Pizza Hut.

Also other district-wide adoptees include Cogdell Memorial Hospital, McDonald's of Snyder, Lorber Industries and Snyder Chrysler.

Adopt-A-School is a partnership, a way for teachers, parents, business people and other community members to pool their resources to provide quality education for children.

To be a partner, a business or organization "adopts" a specific school. Possible projects include rewarding students for good grades or perfect attendance and displaying students' artwork or writing in a business.

God loves you!

and so do we!

You have been elected to be our

"Special person of the week."

Our class chose you not only
for your devoted work for
our Lord,
but also for something
extra special you
may have done recently.

Please accept this book as a token of
appreciation for the wonderful work you do.
We in the Adult 1 young couples class
commit to pray for you this week.
May your work continue to be a
blessing to God,
and to others as well.

Matthew 5:16

Let your light shine before men,
so they may see your good deeds
and praise your Father in heaven."

Thanks for all you
do for our Lord. You
are appreciated very
much. Thanks for the
music.
That Cross
is a great

Thank you for
serving our Lord
your special work
we appreciate your
faithfulness!

Keep up the
good work!
You are loved!

Sharon &
Shannon Jones

Thank you for
all the work
you do for our
Lord. Our prayers
are with you.

Thank you for all
you do for the Lord. James
Please know we support
your efforts and are
praying for you.
In Him,
Jim
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Shannon Jones

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Dad. He was wonderful! Thanks so much!

Dear Supporter of Project Graduation:

The Senior Class of Borden High School appreciates your donation to Project Graduation 2000. Without your help and support, this very worthwhile project would not be possible. Your generosity and kindness is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
Class of 2000
Borden High School



Handwritten signatures and names of donors:

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6200 College Avenue -- Snyder, Texas 79549 -- 915/573-8511

Dear James Patrick, KSNY Radio -
Thank you for your
excellent radio coverage
on Kids' College 2000.
We appreciate you helping
us to make this year's
event such a success!

July,
L.E. Nolte
Director

P.S. - by the
way,
the
date



On behalf of the July 4th committee and the staff of the Snyder Chamber of Commerce, we would like to express our sincere appreciation for your participation in this years event.

It takes so many who have to do so much to make an event like this a success. Every detail has to be considered and followed through, for a perfect completion.

Thank you for your time and dedication to this event.

Sincerely,

Donna Fowler
Executive Director

November 3, 2000

Thank you for your generous donation to the Trent Junior
Class Auction.

Your support has enabled us to have the best auction ever.

Sincerely,

Trent Junior Class of 2000-2001

Bo Simpson

Rusty Suter

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Chance Copeland

Brad Wells

Mr. Chelle

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#33

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thank you!

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April 17, 2000

Ms. Shere Stone
KSNY
1806 KSNY Drive
Snyder, Texas 79549

Dear Ms. Stone, *Shere,*

Thank you very much for your coverage of the conference with the area school administrators last week. The media is a very important part in keeping the legislative process moving in the proper direction. Good, timely information is vital to having a well informed public.

Thanks again for being there.

Sincerely,

David
David Counts
State Representative

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WESTERN TEXAS COLLEGE

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March 29, 2001

Snyder Broadcasting KSNY
P.O. Box 1008
Snyder, Texas 79550

Dear Sirs:

Thank you for your support of the rodeo program at Western Texas College. Enclosed please find twenty tickets for the 2001 WTC NIRA Rodeo to be held in the Scurry Cow Arena April 5-7.

We are and hope to see you at the rodeo.

Sincerely,

Greg Rhodes
Rodeo Coach

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TexCare Partnership
P.O. Box 149276
Austin, Texas 78714-9983

Attn: Mr. Jerry Hutchins, State Director
Texas Monarch - CHIPS
Denton, Texas


Mr. Hutchins, I am forwarding this letter to you so can make sure it gets to the proper people when commending an organization on their actions to further the education and get the word out On TexCare Partnership - CHIPS to the public.

Mr. Roy McQueen, Editor of The Snyder Daily News and Mr. Dink Foree with KSNY Radio has been very gracious to promote the CHIPS information as to where sign-ups will be, etc. We had two very successful citywide sign-ups thus far and the turn was out very good due to such good press. People came in and said I'm glad I read about it in the paper and heard about it on the radio- I had no idea it was affordable and that my family could possibly qualify even though we both work

I know that many of the state legislatures are involved in their Districts and I feel that they need to know the community-minded businesses that have done such a good job of getting the word out in their community. Mr. J. B. Tate, President Texas Savings Bank has offered his bank's community room for our citywide sign-ups. This has been a big help, just having a place to sign up people when we are not on the school campus. We have two sign-ups on the Snyder school campus for Thursday March 22 from 2:00 PM to 6:00 PM at Central Elementary and Tuesday March 27th 2:00 PM to 7:00 PM at North East Elementary. I am sure we will continue to get good Press on these sign-up with these gracious community minded businesses.

As you know, I started volunteer work on the CHIPS Insurance Program in the Austin area when Dell Computer Corporation was donating money until the government could get the ball rolling. I appreciate the fact that Texas Monarch remembered my request to help in Scurry County when Texas Monarch started working with the local CBO's. People For Progress in Sweetwater has done a good job but I am sure they appreciate the extra help in this worthwhile State and Federal program. I am now proud to be a team member with Texas Monarch and appreciate the fact that I have now been asked to help in other areas in the State of Texas.

Cordially,


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Scurry County Senior Center

2603 Avenue M — 915/573-4035

SNYDER, TEXAS 79549

December 23, 1996

Radio Station KSNY
P. O. Box 1008
Snyder, TX 79550

Attn: Mr. Delbert Foree

Dear Mr. Foree:

On behalf of the senior citizens of Scurry County,
I send you a great big THANK YOU for the ongoing
publicity you give the Senior Center.

Our participants rely heavily on your station for
news of importance to them. You graciously announce,
without charge, our weekly menus, center news, and
special programming and fundraising efforts, etc.
Words are inadequate to express our gratitude for
all your courtesies.

Please convey our appreciation to your staff, and
we hope you all have a Happy New Year!

Sincerely,



Norma D. Laywell
Director

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Recognition luncheon...

WTGS Council met in Sweetwater

The West Texas Girl Scout Council held its annual meeting and recognition luncheon April 21 at TSTC in Sweetwater. Lisa Peterson of Sweetwater, president of the board of directors, reported to the volunteers the many accomplishments of the previous year.

Camp Boothe Oaks will celebrate its 50th anniversary this year with camp improvements made possible by the generosity of individuals, foundations and businesses throughout the council's 16 county jurisdiction.

Also noted was the hiring of a new executive director, Shirley I. Olson, who joined the council in October. Elected to the board of directors are Olga G. Balderas of Sweetwater, Nina M. Esquivel of Sweetwater, Wilma F. Butman of Abilene, Cynthia Scott of Big Spring and Dr. R. Scott Van Pelt of Big Spring.

Returning to the board for a second term are Ves Cockrell of Lamesa, Sherri Sandler of Abilene and Rick Brown of Abilene. Janis Turner is a current board mem-

ber, was elected to the position of secretary for the coming year. Robert Moore of Sweetwater joined the nominating committee.

The recognition luncheon followed the meeting and was opened with a parade of flags representing the many troops throughout the council. The County Judge Tim Fambrough, Nolan County, offered the welcome and the guest speaker was Sandra Spears. Spears' father was instrumental in the development of Camp Boothe Oaks. She shared her experiences, complete with pictures, from the early days. The following were recognized for their outstanding service to Girl Scouting during 2000 with six awards going to Scurry County leaders and supporters:

- Leadership Development Pin: JoAnn Cearley of Snyder and Karia Cervantez of Big Spring.

- Outstanding Volunteer: Carla Seale of Snyder.

- Outstanding Leader: Evelyn

Liccardi of Snyder and Debbie Zucco of Merkel.

- Green Angel Award: JoAnn Cearley of Snyder.

- West Texas Community Service Award: KSNY Radio, Snyder.

- Friend of West Texas Award: Wesley and Lizz Shankles of Hermleigh.

Others awards included Appreciation Pin: Debbie Zucco of Merkel and Sharron Warren of Sweetwater; Hancock Award: Russell High of Sweetwater; Honor Pin: Debbie Pelant of Buffalo Gap and April Ferguson of Big Spring; and Thanks Badge, JoAnn Prentice of Abilene.

Also receiving recognition were Dr. Kathryn Banner, an active volunteer and member of the Product Sales Task Force who received the Citizen of the Year Award in Merkel; Donna Dugger of Big Spring, Debby Pelant of Buffalo Gap; Peggy Hockman of Anson; and Angie Griffin of Sterling City. The council at the Precious Jewels luncheon to be held in Abilene will honor them.



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Dear Patron,

On behalf of the Snyder High School boys' and girls' golf teams, we wish to express our appreciation to you for your recent donation. Thanks to you and your support, this year's Slingin' Sammy Baugh Golf Tournament was a huge success. Your donation helps make our golf program a success year after year. We will strive to continue the excellent tradition of a winning golf program at Snyder High School, and we ask for your continued support throughout the years to come.

Thanks again!

In appreciation,
Snyder High School Golf teams

Thank You for your help, here is 10 tickets to be given away to your listeners. We would like to invite all of the Snyder Football fans to come by and eat Pan Cakes on November 2nd before the game and help support the High School Choir. The Pan Cake Supper will be held at the Big Spring High School Cafeteria starting at 5:30pm to 7:00pm.

Thanks again for your support,
The Big Spring Choir Boosters